



Yellow warning
Snow

Between
03:00 Tue 6 Feb 2024 and
15:00 Tue 6 Feb 2024



Frequent snow showers or longer spells of snow will affect the area.

What to expect

- Some roads likely to be affected with longer journey times by road and bus services
- Possible delays or cancellations to air travel

Further details

Overnight and through Tuesday a band of sleet or snow and strong winds will cross Shetland, followed by wintry showers and then another band of sleet and snow returning from the north later. Sleet and snow may be heavy at times with an additional risk of small hail.

Blustery, gale force winds may cause blowing and drifting of snow, severely reducing visibility and causing snow to build up in certain areas.



 Medium likelihood of low impacts

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Further Details (continued)

Accumulations of 2-5cm to low levels, and perhaps 10-15 cm across Yell, Fetlar, Unst and higher ground of north Mainland.

What should I do?

Snowy, wintry weather can cause delays and make driving conditions dangerous. Keep yourself and others safe by planning your route, giving yourself extra time for your journey. Check for road closures or delays to public transport and amend plans if necessary.

If driving, make sure you have some essentials in your car in the event of any delays (e.g., warm clothing, food, water, a blanket, a torch, ice scraper/de-icer, a warning triangle, high visibility vest and an in-car phone charger).

Be prepared for weather warnings to change quickly: when a weather warning is issued, the Met Office recommends staying up to date with the weather forecast in your area.

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